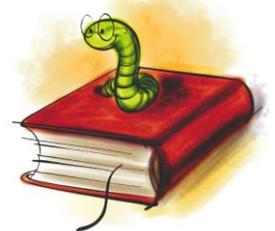
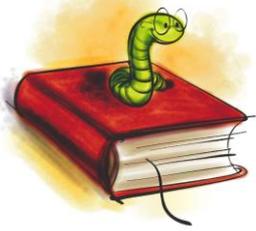
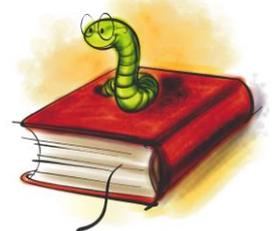
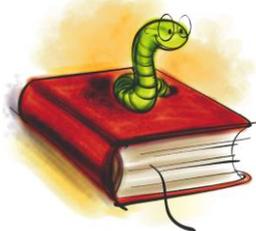


Year 1 Reading List



The Cat in the Hat - Dr Seuss
The Tiger Who Came to Tea - Judith Kerr
Hairy Maclary - Lynley Dodd
The Large Family Collection - Jill Murphy
The Smartest Giant in Town - Julia Donaldson
The Gruffalo's Child - Julia Donaldson
The Gigantic Turnip - Aleksei Tolstoy
The Whisperer - Nick Butterworth
Mrs Armitage on Wheels - Quentin Blake
The Trouble with Jack - Shirley Hughes
My Friend Bear - Jez Alborough
Avocado Baby - John Burningham
A Bear Called Paddington - Michael Bond
Funnybones - Allan Ahlberg
The Hodgeheg - Dick King-Smith
The Jolly Postman - Allan Ahlberg
Mister Magnolia - Quentin Blake
Katie Morag Series - Mairi Hedderwick
Frog and Toad are Friends - Arnold Lobel
The Princess and the Pea - Minnie Grey
Amazing Grace - Mary Hoffman
Don't Forget the Bacon - Pat Hutchins
Emperor of Absurdia - Chris Riddell
The True Story of the Three Little Pigs - Jon Scieszka





Reading at Ark Franklin



At Ark Franklin we want to foster a lifelong love and appreciation for reading in all children. We celebrate pupils and classes who read regularly as we know that a love of reading develops children into inquisitive, informed and reflective individuals who can engage effectively with the world around them. As well as reading at school we expect **all children** to read **out loud** for **at least** 20 minutes per night with an adult.



They should then log the page that they read up to in their reading record (pictured above) and write a brief comment about what they have read. Please sign this to indicate that you have read with them that evening. On the other side of this paper you will find a variety of suggested books for your child's year group.

Questions to ask your child

Before reading the book:

- What do you think this story will be about?
- What might happen in the story?

During the reading of the book:

- What has happened so far?
- What might happen next? Why do you think that? What clue has the author given you to make you think that?
- How do you think the story might end?
- What sort of character is....? Is he/she friendly/mean/nice....?
- Can you find me the word that means?

After reading the book:

- Did you enjoy the book? Why?
- What was your favourite part? Why?
- What was the most interesting/ exciting part of the book? Can you find it?
- What sort of character was....?
- Why did that character do ... (give a situation/ event from the story)?
- What happened in the story? Can you retell the story in your own words?
- What were the main the events that happened in the story?
- Who were the main characters in the story?

Kilburn Library is the closest library to our school and offers a wide range of exciting children's books. They are open to at least 6pm each weekday evening.

